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# WEST SIDE NEWS.

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## West Side News.

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ORVILLE WRIGHT,  
EDITOR AND PUBLISHER.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Year . . . . . 75c.  
Three Months . . . . . 20c.

1210 West Third St., DAYTON, O.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1890.

### Where Genius Didn't Work.

He was just a plain tramp, unadulterated with soap, and he carried over his shoulder a wooden snow-shovel several sizes too big for him. He pulled the bell in a business-like way, and when she opened the door, she said:

"Are you a Christian?"

"Ye-es (in surprise)."

"And do you believe that honest, earnest endeavor should be rewarded?"

"Ye-es."

"Heretofore I have had a large and lucrative practice in my profession, but this year the elements are against me. I know there's no snow on the premises, but it's going so rain this afternoon, and rain hard. Now I'll come back and shovel the rain off your sidewalk for a quarter, if you'll give me ten cents advance money. Is it a go?"

"Yes, it's a go," she said, as she slammed the door in his face.

"And they say that genius and tact win every time," he sighed as he shuffled down the stoop.

—Philadelphia Enquirer.

### Knew Everything.

Adam Forepaugh knew everything about a circus, and he used to twit Barnum with knowing nothing about the business. Forepaugh could tell the number, price and place of every rope, belt, spike, pole and strip of canvas. Given a tent of a certain diameter, he could tell off-hand how many yards of canvas there were in it, its seating capacity, and how much it would take to equip it, fixing a place for every stake, dog-wood pole and rope.

He checked off his own payroll every Wednesday, bought his own groceries, approved every bill, and would brook not the slightest insubordination from his men. He would abruptly discharge any one, and went on the

plan that the Forpaugh show was beholden to no other than himself for its success. He always kept his securities and never disposed of so-called "worthless paper." In this way many securities became very valuable to him. He was an inveterate reader of the newspapers and thought himself a good critic of the press work of his agents. He was somewhat excitable, and at times when he was angry he spared no one.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

### Leaping from the Clouds.

There is little merit in that kind of courage that prompts a man to risk his life for the purpose of securing notoriety, or a little money. At Quincy, Ill., on the Fourth of July, Thomas Baldwin leaped from a balloon when it had reached the height of nearly a mile, and descended safely by means of a parachute. Twenty thousand people assembled to witness the feat, which had been widely advertised.

Baldwin's first purpose was to have the balloon anchored by a rope, but it swayed too much, and he cut the rope, and let the balloon float upward. It mounted into the air, and became, to the view of those below, no larger than a man's hand. No one thought the man would jump from such a height, but suddenly a tiny speck, descending from the balloon, told that he had leaped.

He fell like a shot until the parachute caught the air and inflated; then his descent was gradual. Swift teams followed him, and soon reappeared with him, and the crowd shouted itself hoarse. He had fallen easily and without any hurt. The balloon came down safely at Perry Springs fifty miles away from Quincy.

Baldwin's experience in this wonderful feat was related to a reporter, soon after he reached the earth.

"I felt no fear," said he, "and knew just what would happen and how it would happen. When the balloon was at the proper height, as I thought, I looked below and saw I was higher than I had calculated to be, and I quickly arranged the parachute. I intended to open the balloon-valve, but remembering my advertising matter I threw it out, and in a few seconds I swung from the balloon, grasping the parachute, and dropped.

"I went down like a flash, and

as the balloon leaped upward, I looked at it and said aloud, 'Good-by, City of Quincy.' I think I went down at the rate of twenty miles an hour for a time.

"When the parachute filled, it jerked me so hard I thought my arms were broken. I never lost perfect consciousness. When near the ground, the parachute swung from side to side, and when I struck, it carried me over with such force, that I turned a summersault. I was not hurt, and at once gathered up the parachute, and got out of the field where I fell. I was about forty-five hundred feet above the earth when I left the balloon.

### Can Raise Some Bread.

"Can't you put a poor starving man in the way of getting a bite of bread?" inquired a hungry tramp as he presented himself at the door where lived the humorist of the local paper.

"Why, certainly, my poor man," said the kind-hearted wife of the humorist, "here is a cake of yeast that you are welcome to."

"But I can't eat yeast, ma'am."

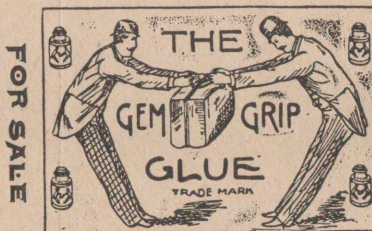
"No; but perhaps you can raise some bread with it: we do."

And the hungry man raised his hat and retreated in the shadow of a smile that was sublime.—*The Epoch.*

### Deaf Printers.

Deaf Printers have been heretofore regarded as valuable men at "the case"—their attention being less easily distracted. With Edison's new phonograph, however the fine large ears of Bottom will be in demand. Tubes are fitted to the compositor's ears and connected with the instrument, which is set to talking or stopped by a pedal arrangement. The phonograph talks off a sentence into the printer's ears, and when these are full he stops the machine until he has transformed the words into type. The next step will be to connect the tubes with the subscribers' ears and dispense with the printed paper entirely.—*Daily News.*

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Not a few were shocked at the rumors, this week, that the post-office was a seat of corruption, and the report that a government official was inspecting it. Indeed, rumors of all kinds were afloat, but few had any foundation for their truthfulness. However a few unpleasant facts were brought before the eyes of the people, which will carry with them considerable political influence, and some, too, which will, very probably, end in the resignation of our present postmaster, or his deposition from office. It appears that previous to his appointment to the post-office, he had had some difficulty in the insurance business, but upon leaving to enter upon the duties as post-master, he had righted them, by paying the amount in default. Nevertheless the matter leaked out, and some of his bondsmen hearing of the affair, telegraphed to Washington for the inspector. But, after consideration, the inspector having found nothing wrong in the post-office, his bondsmen declared their willingness to continue on his bond. However, the matter does not end here; people after hearing of his default in the insurance company, do not care for his services in the post-office, and call for his resignation.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Ask for Browns Tar Soap.

Go to Francisco's for drugs.

Mr. Del'rist has returned from a three weeks visit in Virginia.

Mrs. Huffman of South Broadway, has the grippe.

If you want good groceries go to Vance &amp; Caylor's S. Broadway.

Mrs. Brewer, of Sprague street, is sick.

For VALENTINES, call on Lillie M. Fox, Fifth and Broadway.

Mr. John Neibert, wife and daughter, Lillie, of south Baxter street, are visiting friends and relatives in Anderson, Indiana.

A child of Mrs. Smith, of Auburn street, is sick.

Mr. Charles Shoemaker's child is sick.

Mr. William Clark, of the river bottoms, has purchased the Swick property on South Broadway.

Mr. George Bosler, of Fifth street, spent several days this week, in Marion, Indiana, on business.

Mrs. E. Shipley, Sr., of south Broadway, has taken a child to raise.

Mr. Caylor, of the firm of Vance and Caylor, is sick with the measles.

Marion Stephens, of west Amity street, has been confined to his home during the past week with the measles.

Mr. Fair of LeRoy street, father of Ed. Fair, removed to live with his son, in Cincinnati.

It is rumored that one of our Seventh District school ma'ams will soon be married.

The little child of Mrs. Laughlin, of West Second street, is seriously ill with scarlet fever.

A horse belonging to Mr. David Carroll, of West Third street, has the grippe.

Mr. R. J. Graham, of North Broadway, has been quite sick for the past few days, but is able to be about again.

We guarantee East India Tonic to cure rheumatism, influenza, and stomach troubles. Price 50c. At all drug stores on West Side.

W. C. Blue, formerly of north Broadway, who has just recovered from a severe illness visited friends Wednesday on his way east.

A very pleasant social gathering composed of young folks, occurred at the residence of Mr. H. V. Koogle, on Wolf Creek pike, Tuesday night, at which the young folks spent a delightful evening.

While one of the West Side boys, who attends High School, was coming home Friday evening, he ran his umbrella full tilt into an old soldier. After a few pleasant (?) words, the boy ran up the street at a rapid rate.

John Neibert has bought a lot on south Broadway, on which, in the near future, he intends to rear a building.

Revs. G. M. Mathews and Holtzinger of the West Side, and Mr. John Dodds will open a new hall, for the United Brethren Church at Eaton, tomorrow.

Rev. Floyd O. Fields, of south Williams street has been to Necoima, Illinois, to attend the funeral of his father, and on his return will bring his mother with him.

Miss Phoebe Davidheiser, of south Williams street, has been entertaining her cousin, Miss Buck and in company with her, spent a few days in the country. They will attend the marriage of their cousin in Arcanum tonight.

Arthur Hoover, of north Summit street, while attempting to get into his father's wagon, had his wrist sprained by the horse starting up, and his falling out backwards from the wagon.

Joseph Reiley, an elderly gentleman from Arcanum, while walking along Ludlow street, near Fourth, Monday night, on his way to the depot, was approached from behind, by a young man, who suddenly thrust his hands into the old gentleman's pockets, securing what money he had. A very poor description was given of the fellow.

Monday night, the engineer at Mead's paper Mills, John Hanlin, suffered the loss of a silver watch. About two o'clock in the morning two young men entered the engine room and with him engaged in conversation; and while one engaged his attention, the other stole his open-face watch.

A lady narrowly escaped being run over by a runaway, Tuesday morning. A horse hitched to a jagger, becoming frightened, dashed down Second street east of Main and at the corner of Second and Jefferson streets one front wheel grazed the dress of the lady, who happened to be crossing the street.

Bishop Milton Wright made a trip to Richmond, last Monday, to attend a trial which was to have occurred Tuesday, for the possession of a United Brethren Church, near Richmond. In a recent trial for the said church, the case being tried on demurrer, the Liberals lost. But on Tuesday when the case was called to be tried upon the evidence, the Liberals withdrew the case paying the costs.

Wednesday night the new lodge of the Knights and Ladies of Honor was organized in Miami City, the largest lodge ever instituted in the state of Ohio. A number of officers from abroad were present, and took part in the ceremony. The following officers were elected to hold office until June 30, 1890:

Past Protector—Mrs. Anna Sage.

Protector—Wm. Lincoln.

Vice-Protector—Mrs. Bell Sample.

Secretary—Geo. Wallace.

Financial Secretary—Miss Mary Terry.

Treasurer—W. H. Thompson.

Chaplain—Mrs. J. Francisco.

Guide—Mrs. M. Mattis.

Guardian—Charles Wilson.

Sentinel—Peter Wooding.

Trustees—F. Mattis, Wallace Koher, Wm. H. Finch.

A runaway occurred yesterday on North Market street, in which John Schreck was injured. Schreck is a young man and was driving the butcher wagon belonging to Philip Lepert. The horses—Texas ponies—became frightened and started to run. The seat upon which the driver was sitting at the time, broke and threw him out of the wagon under the vehicle and dragged him for some distance, breaking the small bone of one of his legs and bruising and wounding him in many places. The horses were soon caught and the

patrol wagon summoned, which conveyed him to the hospital, where the broken bone was set and his wounds dressed.

Mr. W. W. Granger, an expert accountant, and author of a system of bookkeeping especially applicable in the conduct of municipal business, was in the city yesterday and a visitor at the City Clerk's office. After a critical examination of Mr. Shinn's methods and system of keeping the accounts of the city he paid the City Clerk a handsome compliment by saying in the presence of a number of gentlemen that his methods were the most simple, explicit and accurate possible, and without an equal so far as his knowledge extended. In view of the fact that Mr. Granger has a national reputation as an expert examiner, the handsome compliment is deservedly meritorious.—*Jouraal.*

A man named Baker, a coal miner, residing one mile west of Paris, Stark county, was a few days ago attacked with the grippe. His sickness was so severe that his mind became affected, and he threatened the life of a neighbor, a well known teacher and a respected citizen of the community. Another party, learning of the threats made against his neighbors went to Baker, ordered him to move out of the house, and threatened to have him arrested. Baker's father, learning of the sad condition of his son, removed him to his home at Girard, Trumbull county. After his removal his wife became so troubled over the circumstances of the family, that her mind became also affected, was pronounced insane and taken to the asylum at Toledo. They have three small children, who will be taken care of by the father's mother.

Louis Jaquith, John Emery, and John Allison are a trio of crooks now behind the bars in Laporte County Jail. Jaquith is but eighteen years of age, Emery is but a little older, and Allison is the youngest of the gang, being but sixteen years of age. They are in for burglary, and the crimes they are charged with are the most daring ever recorded in the criminal annals of this State. All three boys are the sons of influential parents.

This gang of youthful burglars have successfully raided many prominent business houses in Laporte, St. Joseph, Elkhart, and Noble counties, and with the result of obtaining plunder the value of which aggregated many thousands of dollars. They have carried on this systematic robbery for about two years, and until recently eluded all attempts of the officers to apprehend them, but they have at last fallen into the coils. Jaquith has made a sensational confession, in which he says that he and two confederates are



guilty of the crime of burglarizing a store at Lapaz, a little town in Marshall county, over a year ago, and for which two tramps were arrested, and in spite of their earnest protestations of innocence, were convicted of the crime, and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary at Michigan City. This confession will doubtless result in the release of the two convicts, who are now doing faithful service for the State. The boys' parents, strange to say, have been in complete ignorance of their sons' waywardness, and the shock of their arrest is more than they can bear. The lads will be taken to Noble county tomorrow for trial, the evidence against them there being conclusive. The officers say that without doubt they are the most youthful crooks in Indiana who have planned and carried out such extensive stealings.

### But Where is the Snow.

Now the bald-headed man in his board-ing-house bed  
Only one present blessing can see  
As t he white snow sifts in on his paralyzed head,  
He can say: "There are no flies on me."  
—Texas Siftings.

### List of Fire Alarm Boxes.

2 Pressure on.	3 Pressure off.
4 Webster St., No. 2.	48 Richard and Samuel Sts.
5 Fifth and Brown St., No. 1.	49 Richard and Huriburt Sts.
6 Fifth and Main Sts.	51 Iowa and Jones Sts.
7 Third and Main Sts.	52 Jefferson & Chestnut Sts.
8 Second and Ludlow Sts.	53 Brown and Brabham Sts.
9 Monument Ave. & Main St., No. 4.	54 Ludlow and Franklin Sts.
12 Fourth and Kenton Sts.	56 Main and Bruen Sts.
13 Third and Jefferson Sts.	57 Ludlow and Bayard Sts.
14 First and St. Clair Sts.	58 Main and Stout Sts.
15 First and Foundry Sts.	61 Fifth and Wilkinson Sts.
16 Monument Ave. & Taylor St.	62 Fifth and Charter Sts.
17 Barney & Smith Car Shop.	63 Fifth & Baxter Sts., No. 5.
18 First and Keowee Sts.	64 Broadway and Home Ave.
19 Pike and Valley Sts., Texas.	65 Washington and Louie Sts.
21 Third and Wayne Sts.	67 Cincinnati & Hartford Sts.
23 Third and Montgomery Sts.	71 First and Perry Sts.
24 Second and Lowell Sts.	72 Third and St. Marys Sts.
25 Morrison St., No. 6.	73 Third and Williams Sts.
26 Third and Linden Ave.	74 Second St. and Dale Ave.
27 Third and Garfield Sts.	75 Third St. and Euclid Ave.
28 Valley and Chapel Sts., Tex.	76 River and Williams Sts.
29 Valley St. and Brandt Pike, Texas.	81 Main and McPherson Sts.
31 Fifth and Wayne Sts.	82 Main and Rung Sts.
32 Fifth and Miami Sts.	83 Dayton View Hydraulic.
34 May and Dutoit Sts.	84 River and Salem Sts.
35 McLain and High Sts.	85 Salem St. & Superior Ave.
36 Fifth and Alfred Sts.	112 Main and First Sts.
37 Dayton Insane Asylum.	113 Monument Ave. and Wil-kinson St.
38 Fifth and Hoffman Ave.	114 Second St. and Levee.
39 Fifth and Linden Ave.	221 Kiefer and Barker Sts.
41 Wayne and Richard Sts.	412 Xenia Ave. & Van Cleave St.
42 Adams and Bonner Sts.	413 Wayne St. St. Car Stables.
43 Wayne and Oak Sts.	512 Lincoln and Warren Sts.
46 Brown and Patterson Sts.	513 Cemetery and Brown Sts.
47 Xenia Ave. & Qultman St.	612 Fifth and Sprague Sts.
47 Xenia Ave. & Henry St., No. 7.	613 Washington and German-town Sts.

## Dumplings with Royal Baking Powder

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In all receipts calling for cream and soda, substitute Royal Baking Powder. Less trouble, never fails, makes more appetizing and wholesome food and is economical. Royal Baking Powder is made for use in the preparation of the most and most delicate cookery.

### Rather Overdone.

Last Sunday Mrs. E. L. Page, of Ingersoll, Texas, gave birth to four healthy girl babies. This is the season of turning over new leaves, but four Pages at once is rather overdoing the thing.—*Minneapolis Tribune.*

### The Supreme Test.

Mrs. Bonbine (just awakened)—George, my dear, do you love me as much as you did when we first married?

Mr. Bonbine—Why, certainly, my darling.

"Well, then, hustle out and start a fire in the kitchen."—*Time.*

### Tough Old Zulu Chiefs.

These old chiefs in South Africa know nothing about trekking, and on several occasions became so impatient that they started off on foot ahead of the wagons. One day they had to walk thirty-seven miles before reaching water, and then had to wait two days on scant rations before we came up with them. One of these men was seventy-five years old, but the tough old Zulu (the Mat-abele rulers are of Zulu origin) was none the worse for the escape.

On another accasion, in spite of our warning, they left us, armed only with assegais, in the worst part of the lion country. When we followed, a few hours afterward, we saw, to our horror, that their foot-prints in the sand had been partially obliterated by the spoor of a lion. Fortunately, however, he had followed them for only some hundred yards, and then, probably not being hungry, he wandered off toward a pool of water.

Such vagaries were to us a source of constant anxiety, for how could we face the King without bringing back his Indunas? Our own lives would not have been safe. We should have been proclaimed as imposters or accused of witchcraft.

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